

PCO Code	FBI Description ¹	Arizona-Specific Reference ²
PCO 1	01-The subject is restrained from assaulting, threatening, abusing, harassing, following, interfering with, or stalking the protected person and/or the child of the protected person.	Not threaten, assault plaintiff or trespass Not threaten, assault other protected party or trespass
PCO 5	05-The subject is restrained from making any communication with the protected person, including but not limited to personal, written, or telephone contact, or their employers, employees, fellow workers, or others with whom the communication would be likely to cause annoyance or alarm the victim.	To have no contact with plaintiff To have no contact except by phone To have no contact except by email/fax To have no contact except by mail To have no contact other except No contact w/parties listed in order To have no contact w/parties except by phone To have no contact w/parties except by email/fax To have no contact w/parties except by mail To have no contact w/parties other except
PCO 3	03-The protected person is granted exclusive possession of the residence or household.	Exclusive use of residence Exclusive use of our residence
PCO 8	08-See the miscellaneous field for comments regarding the terms and conditions of the order.	Civil standby order
PCO 4	04-The subject is required to stay away from the residence, property, school, or place of employment of the protected person or other family or household member.	Not to go on or near plaintiff/protective person residence Not to go on or near plaintiff/protective person employ Not to go on or near plaintiff/protective person school Not to go on or near plaintiff/protective person other
PCO 7	07-The subject is prohibited from possessing and/or	Not to possess and/or purchase firearms (AZ statute)


¹ PCO codes (Protection Code Ordered) were developed by the FBI and are broadly defined so each state can adapt them to its specific protective order statutes. Although there are nine PCO codes, only six apply to Arizona law.


² The Arizona-specific PCO codes are presented here in the order in which they apply to an Order of Protection. (See attached diagrams.)

	purchasing a firearm or other weapon.	Not to possess and/or purchase ammunition (AZ statute)
PCO 8	08-See the miscellaneous field for comments regarding the terms and conditions of the order.	Transfer firearms to law enforcement
		Complete approved DV offender treatment program
		Complete screening/recommended program
		Provide court written proof of completion before
		Other order
		Shall appear for a hearing
		Not to go near animals in plaintiff household minor child

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WARNINGS TO DEFENDANT: This order shall be enforced, even without registration, by the courts of any state, the District of Columbia, or any U.S. territory, and may be enforced by Tribal Lands (18 U.S.C. § 2265). Crossing state, territorial, or tribal boundaries to violate this order may result in federal imprisonment (18 U.S.C. § 2262). Because of this order, it may be unlawful for you to possess or purchase a firearm or ammunition pursuant to federal law under 18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(8) or state, tribal, territorial, or local law. If you have any questions whether these laws make it illegal for you to possess or purchase a firearm, you should consult an attorney. Only the court, in writing, can change this order. This order is effective for one year from date of service. <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-top: 5px;"> Court name, phone number, business hours </div>																																		
THE COURT HEREBY FINDS THAT: It has jurisdiction over the parties and the subject matter. <input type="checkbox"/> Defendant received actual notice of this hearing and had an opportunity to participate. THE COURT , finding reasonable cause to believe that Defendant may commit an act of domestic violence or has committed an act of domestic violence within the past year (or good cause exists to consider a longer period), HEREBY ORDERS: NO CRIMES. Defendant shall not commit any crimes, including but not limited to harassment, stalking, or conduct involving the use, attempted use, or threatened use of physical force that would reasonably be expected to cause bodily injury, against Plaintiff or Protected Persons. PCO 01 <input type="checkbox"/> NO CONTACT. Defendant shall have no contact with Plaintiff except through attorneys, legal process, court hearings, and as checked: <input type="checkbox"/> Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Email/Fax <input type="checkbox"/> Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ PCO 05 <input type="checkbox"/> NO CONTACT. Defendant shall have no contact with Protected Persons except through attorneys, legal process, court hearings and as checked: <input type="checkbox"/> Phone <input type="checkbox"/> Email/Fax <input type="checkbox"/> Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ PCO 05																																		

THE COURT FURTHER ORDERS:

 **PCO 03** ☐ **RESIDENCE.** Plaintiff is granted exclusive use and possession of the residence currently shared with Defendant.

 **PCO 08** ☐ **LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDBY.** Defendant may return once with a law enforcement officer to obtain necessary personal belongings. Neither law enforcement nor this protective order can resolve conflicts over property, title, furniture, finances, real estate, or other ownership issues.


PROTECTED LOCATIONS. Defendant shall not go to or near Plaintiff's or Protected Person's:

☐ Residence (confidential) **PCO 04**

☐ Workplace (leave blank if confidential): **PCO 04**

☐ School/other: **PCO 04**

☐ **ARIZONA FIREARMS LAW.** Under A.R.S. § 13-3602(G)(4), the court finds that Defendant poses a credible threat to the physical safety of Plaintiff or Protected Persons. Therefore, Defendant shall not possess, receive, or purchase firearms and shall surrender same within 24 hours of service to: **PCO 07**

 **PCO 08** ☐ **ANIMALS.** Plaintiff is granted the exclusive care, custody, or control of any animal that is owned, possessed, leased, kept, or held by the plaintiff, the defendant, or a minor child residing in the residence or household of the plaintiff or the defendant. Defendant is ordered to stay away from the animal and shall not take, transfer, encumber, conceal, commit an act of cruelty or neglect in violation of section 13-2910, or otherwise dispose of the animal.

OTHER ORDERS: **PCO 08**

Date

Judicial Officer

Printed Name

WARNING: This is an official court order. If you disobey this order, you will be subject to arrest and prosecution for the crime of interfering with judicial proceedings and any other crime you may have committed in disobeying this order.

NOTICE: If you disagree with this order, you have the right to request a hearing, which will be held within 5 to 10 business days after your written request has been filed in the court that issued this order. Violations of this order should be reported to a law enforcement agency, not the court. Each party must notify this court if an action for dissolution (divorce), separation, annulment or paternity/maternity is filed. This is NOT a parenting time (visitation) or custody (legal decision-making) order. You must file those requests separately in Superior Court.

ADDITIONAL WARNINGS TO DEFENDANT: Nothing the plaintiff does can stop, change, or undo this order without the court's written approval. You must appear in court to ask a judge to change (modify) or dismiss (quash) this order. **You can be arrested and prosecuted for violating this order, even if the plaintiff contacts you. If you do not want the plaintiff to contact you, you have the right to request a protective order against the plaintiff. But orders are not automatically granted upon request. Legal requirements must be met.**